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10 **UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT**  
11 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

12 In re:

Case No.: BK-N-11-51818-btb  
Chapter 13

13 JOHN D. GESSIN,

14 Debtor.

**DECLARATION OF COUNSEL IN SUPPORT**  
**OF EX PARTE APPLICATION FOR ORDER**  
**SHORTENING TIME**

Hearing Date: OST  
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16 I, TRICIA M. DARBY, hereby declare under penalty of perjury the following:

17 1. I am an attorney with Darby Law Practice, Ltd (“Darby Law Practice”). Darby Law  
18 Practice is counsel of record to John D. Gessin (“Debtor”) in the above-captioned Chapter 13  
19 Bankruptcy proceeding.

20 2. On June 2, 2011, Debtor filed a voluntary petition under Chapter 13 of the Bankruptcy  
21 Code.

22 3. Debtor appeared at his 341 Meeting of Creditors on July 15, 2011. Debtor’s 341  
23 Meeting was continued to August 26, 2011. Debtor did not appear at his continued 341 Meeting  
24 because of complications relating to an eye surgery. Debtor’s 341 Meeting was continued to  
25 September 9, 2011. Debtor did not appear due to his desire to have his case dismissed.  
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